

WARD'S WALK-OVER.

Proceedings of Saturday's Mass Meeting.

The Democratic mass meeting held last Saturday afternoon to select delegates to the Superior Court convention at Lexington next Friday was quiet and uneventful. Owing to the fact that there was no contest, only a few of the faithful turned out. Everything was "harmoniously harmonious." A Republican, who looked in on the meeting, authorized us to say that it was the "quietest and most respectable political meeting ever held in this city." This is true, but the Bulletin takes this opportunity to say that the Democrats of this county have quit holding any other kind of conventions, for a time at least. No good is ever accomplished by gathering together a howling mob whose sole object is to rule, or raise a wrangle and break up the meeting. Harm always results from such disgraceful gatherings. Saturday's convention met, transacted its business and adjourned in less time than it takes to write this note.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF MEETING.

The convention Saturday was called to order at one o'clock by Hon. Emory Whitaker, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the county.

On motion of Charles D. Newell, Esq., Hon. E. L. Worthington was unanimously chosen permanent chairman of the meeting. After the object of the convention was stated, James H. Sallee, Esq., moved the election of Hon. R. B. Lovel as permanent secretary. The motion was carried, with but one dissenting voice, that of the gentleman who was being voted for.

Dr. Jas. Shackelford offered the following resolutions, which it is safe to say, embody the sentiments not only of Mason County Democrats, but of the entire district.

Resolved, That as Democrats and citizens of Mason County, we are proud of the ability, impartiality and integrity displayed by Hon. J. Quincy Ward as Judge of the Superior Court, and the delegates from this county to the Lexington Convention are hereby instructed to cast the vote of Mason County solid for him in that convention.

Resolved, That all good Democrats from Mason County, who shall attend the Lexington Convention, are hereby appointed delegates thereto.

Resolved, The *Mayville Bulletin* and *Mayville Eagle* and other Democratic papers of this district are requested to publish the proceedings of this convention.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously.

On motion the convention adjourned sine die.

E. L. WORTHINGTON, Chairman.

R. B. LOVEL, Secretary.

KENTUCKY POLITICS.

Will L. Fitch has declined the Republican nomination for County Attorney in the "State of Lewis," and another "fall ticket" has been "busted."

In the Nineteenth Judicial district, J. Bamford Wiley, of Eadill County, has been nominated for Judge by the Democrats, and James P. Marrs, of Letcher, for Commonwealth's Attorney.

It is reported, and we presume the report is true, that Hon. W. H. Wadsworth is anxious to make the race again for Congress. Well, we hope our Republican friends will trot him out. We can beat him with Wall, Savage or Bascom, either one. William Henry will find Jordan a hard road to travel in this race. —Exchange.

An effort is being made in the Covington district to settle the differences between Desha and Arthur, the two contesting Democrats for Circuit Judge. Desha has offered to submit the question as to who is the rightful nominee to the State Central Committee, but Arthur hasn't yet consented to any such arrangement. Although the usual Democratic majority in that district is about 3,000, still with the vote divided, Fennell, the Republican nominee, would very likely be elected. If Desha and Arthur do not soon settle their troubles, there is a probability that both will be withdrawn. The good of the party in that district demands harmony in its rank and file.

The Kentucky Democrat deserves praise for such sentiments as expressed in the following: "The time has come in the history of Kentucky when it is almost impossible for a poor man to run for office, and the sooner the evil is stopped the better for the whole people. Everybody knows that money is spent by both parties in elections, and therefore one can't say to the other, 'I am holier than thou.' If every trilling whelp in the State, who is always in market at election time, ready to sell out to the highest bidder, were sent to the penitentiary and encased in a striped suit, and made to do honest work, he would only get his deserts. We suggest to candidates on both sides for once to give these miserable hounds who have not the spirit of free dom the go-by."

Tax Collector-Journal's correspondent wasn't a good prophet. He predicted the defeat of the railroad proposition.

TWO BODIES IN ONE GRAVE.

A Stranger Pays for the Funeral of a Suicide and His Son.

New York, July 12.—The remains of Joseph Werner, who shot his son Joseph H. and then committed suicide in a Tenth street apartment house, Wednesday morning, will be buried to-day in the New York Bay cemetery, near Bayonne. The two bodies will rest together in one grave. There will be no religious ceremony.

The simple funeral has been paid for by a stranger, the Undertaker Benedict yesterday and asked him to take charge of the burial. He refused to give his name, but said he was a friend of the dead man and immediately paid the undertaker's bill. He seemed to be well acquainted with the habits of Werner, and stated that he believed the immediate cause of the father's death was that the day previous to the shooting Werner had been in receipt of a letter from a relative in Dubuque, Ia., denying a request for a loan. He said that a brother of Werner is a judge in Iowa, and he thought it extremely probable that this letter, which the suicide destroyed, came from his brother.

Mrs. Bader, of No. 129 Sullivan street, who lived with the Werners in Third street, said that fifteen years ago, when Werner married Miss Mary Brunh who was only fifteen years old, he was engaged in stock speculation. He failed and then went into the tailoring business. The marriage was at the instigation of the girl's grandmother, Mrs. Bradley, who was for many years a fortune-teller. The marriage was not a happy one and the wife subsequently went on the stage.

Under Arrest for Horse Stealing. GREENSBURG, Ind., July 12.—Tom Foster, of Osgood, passed through this city in custody of the sheriff of Boone county, Ind., charged with horse stealing. He was arrested at Osgood, and threats were made by some of his friends of rescuing him from the officer. He has made quite a record of late, and was convicted a few months ago for receiving stolen property. The case was appealed, and reversed by the supreme court, and he has made quite a record of late, and on his return home he gave bond. His friends claim he is not guilty of the charge, and will be able to prove his innocence.

Lima Oil Notes.

LIMA, O., July 12.—The Sanford well commenced flowing before the tubing was more than half in, and is making 150 barrels. The tools were recovered from the West-minster well. The well is ten miles east and will be sunk 3,000 feet.

A. A. Hopkins' seven wells are producing 300 barrels daily.

The gas well at Carey was shot and is flowing gas 300 pounds pressure.

Lake Collision.

CHICAGO, July 12.—About 10 o'clock, when thirty miles out from Menoken, the steam tug *Hickox* of the Western Express Co., Milwaukee, striking her almost instantly. The crew of the Milwaukee jumped aboard the other vessel as the two came in contact. The tugboat was damaged, and the *Hickox* below and went down with the vessel. The Milwaukee was valued at \$12,000, partially insured. She lies in about 300 feet of water.

The \$3,000,000 suit.

New York, July 12.—The jury in the \$3,000,000 suit of Receiver Farnsworth of the Bankers' & Merchants' Telegraph company, against the Western Union, for cutting the wires of the telegraph company, filed into Judge Lawrence's court at 10:30 a. m., the hour for the resumption of the court, and announced that they had given a verdict of \$340,000 in favor of the plaintiff.

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Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-five pounds. Trial bottles of this great discovery for consumption free at J. C. Pecor & Co.'s.

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MONTHLY CROP REPORT.

SUMMARY OF THE CONDITION OF THE VARIOUS CROPS.

Report from the Agricultural Department at Washington, showing the Present Condition of Crops Compared with the Previous Month and Last Year.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The following summary of the crops has been issued at the agricultural department:

"The cotton returns to the department of agriculture for July 1st represent the crop ten to fifteen days late, the low grounds saturated with the excessive rains of June, a general prevalence of the spring conditions and a smothering growth of grass and weeds. The drier uplands show a vigorous plant growth and in full-handed plantations clear cultivation. This description will apply to the states except Texas, Arkansas and Tennessee. There has been improvement during June in these states and retrograde in all the others. There will be a small area abandoned from inability to cultivate it, and some injury to crops will result in the process of cleaning. Reduction in condition is mainly in North and South Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi. Georgia was reported low in June.

The general average of condition is 95. It was 87 on the first of July. Last year it was 90 in July, a gain of four points during June, favorable weather in July, with prompt destruction of weeds may advance condition, but further rains or long continued drought would work serious injury to the crop. While a fair product may yet be possible east of the Mississippi, the condition of that portion of the crop may be considered somewhat critical. The averages by states are as follows: Virginia, 92; North Carolina, 91; South Carolina, 79; Georgia, 81; Alabama, 87; Mississippi, 79; Louisiana, 81; Texas, 97; Arkansas, 95; Tennessee, 96. The average of some very slightly declined in the Middle states, and in Maryland, Virginia and South Carolina, with some increases in other states of the south, which is largest west of the Mississippi.

In the Ohio valley the average is nearly the same as in 1885. West of the Mississippi the increase is heavy, in Kansas 30 per cent., Nebraska 10, Dakota 30. The total increase is 13 per cent., or about one-fifth of a million acres. Corn is late on the Atlantic coast, from wet weather, cool nights, and slow germination. In many sections the seed rotted and replanting became necessary. Conditions are reported of planting three times. Yet there is generally a fair stand, and the crop growing in the Middle states and West. If weather will make a full yield. It has suffered quite as much on the Gulf coast, where the wet areas are still more unpromising.

The red lands generally bear a vigorous growth, while in the gray soils and bottoms the plants are yellowing and spindling. Some of the areas have already been mowed. Some parts of Texas have been dry, but abundant recent rains will suffice for a good crop in the eastern and central counties. Arkansas shows high condition, but Tennessee reports injury from low temperature and excessive rains. The great corn belt of the West reports medium to high condition, growing better from Ohio to Kansas. The Missouri valley averages better than the Ohio river and lake region. There is a stand in Missouri, Virginia and even growth ten days earlier than last year. The Kansas returns are equally favorable. Insect injuries have now been generally developed. The chinch bug is now threatening some localities in the West.

The general average is 95 against 94 last year, and 10 in 1884. The state averages of the following states are: New York, 91; Pennsylvania, 88; Virginia, 93; Georgia, 92; Texas, 97; Kentucky, 91; Ohio, 91; Indiana, 90; Michigan, 90; Illinois, 97; Missouri, 101; Kansas, 102; Nebraska, 95; Iowa, 99.

The condition of winter wheat is reported for the first of July in the northern states as poor at the time of harvest.

The average has declined from 92.7 to 91.3.

New York reports a decline of four points; Pennsylvania 5; Kentucky 3; Michigan 6; Missouri 1; Kansas 3; Ohio and Indiana remain about the same, and are generally good. The condition of spring wheat has declined from 108 in June to 85 in consequence of high temperatures, drying winds and lack of rain. In the principal states the decline has been: Wisconsin, from 97 to 75; Minnesota, 90 to 78; Iowa, 100 to 91; Nebraska 97 to 83 and Ohio from 90 to 75.

The condition of oats averages 80, a decline of seven points.

Rye fully maintains its position, averaging 95.

The average of barley is 90.

A RABBIT DOG.

Causes a Panic in Chicago and Bites One Person.

CHICAGO, July 12.—At 8 o'clock last evening a rabbit dog rushed down Halsted street, near the corner of Thirty-fifth street, causing a general stampede among pedestrians. Hugo Lavey, a nineteen-year-old boy, was unable to get out of the animal's way, and was bitten. The dog then ran into a saloon, filled with customers. The appearance of the animal, with eyes flashing and mouth frothing, snapping at all objects within its reach, caused great consternation in the saloon. Everybody, the proprietor included, vacated the premises, bolting through doors and windows, and falling over each other in wild confusion.

The dog retained possession of the place until officers came and killed him with their revolvers. They had a desperate fight, however, and narrowly escaped being bitten. Hugo Lavey was attended by a doctor, who contended the wound and the boy was sent to New York to be treated by the Pasteur method. During the mad dog's run along Halsted street he bit another dog, which escaped the efforts of the crowd to kill it.

A Small Cyclone.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., July 12.—This city and vicinity was swept by a cyclone storm at 7 o'clock last evening, which was a very peculiar one. The funnel-shaped black cloud was appalling. So far as can be learned, great destruction was done, although lives were blown down and wrecked everywhere, and the street car lines blocked, signs torn down and small buildings demolished. In the middle of the street a turk weighing twenty pounds fell from a cloud upon the sidewalk, narrowly missing a pedestrian. It is peculiar and of turtle, apparently brought from a distance by the cyclone.

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MEETING.

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